THE INDIAN EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1884 (IV OF 1884).

G. N., H. D., No. 2990/5-IV, dated 12th May 1950.

EXPLOSIVES RULES, 1940.

Order.

Whereas it is considered necessary for the security of public peace to prescribe conditions under which gunpowder can be possessed without a licence ;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the functions of the Central Government under the proviso to rule 83 of the Explosives Rules, 1940, entrusted to the Government of Bombay by the Government of India, Ministry of Works, Mines and Power, Notification No. P. 103, dated the 21st May 1948, the Government of Bombay is hereby pleased to prescribe that the maximum quantity of gunpowder that may be possessed by any person for his own private use and not for sale without a licence shall not exceed 10 lbs.